

Mrs. L. Ochs is the guest of her sister at Ely.

Dr. W. T. Rutledge was a Hannibal visitor Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Boien is the guest of relatives and friends at Shelby.

Tom Yates bought a pair of mules from Tom Proctor yesterday.

Tom Proctor bought a pair of mares from Tooley Bros. yesterday.

Chas. Elzea bought a pair of mules from Tooley Bros. Saturday.

Miss Mary Morkin was the guest of Palmyra relatives the last of the week.

Mrs. F. Fielder has been the guest of Hannibal friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wood, near Stoutsville were visitors here Saturday.

Dr. U. S. Smith, of Hannibal, has resumed practice. Hours 9 to 12 and 2 to 4. 3-1

Tooley Bros. bought a pair of mules from Hawker & Fitzsimmons last Friday.

Miss Lois Carr spent the week end as the guest of homefolks at Hunnewell.

Bailey Proctor and Emmett Alexander were among those who attended the dairy meeting at Paris Friday, January 26

J. F. Llewellyn, for many years a prominent Mexico druggist, died at his home in that city Friday after a brief illness

Maywood has a new packing plant with a capacity for killing and curing seventy-five hogs and fifteen beeves a day.

The city council of Princeton has shut down on slot machines and now a nickel buys only one cigar in that village.

Mrs. Anna Caplinger and daughter, Miss Anetta, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Caplinger's mother near Palmyra.

LaGrange has several cases of small pox and the school children have been ordered vaccinated or to remain out of school.

Six companies doing business in Kansas City failed to pay their corporation taxes this year and were suspended from doing business.

Several troop trains returning from the border last week passed through Brayner bearing this inscription: "Vada or Bust—we busted"

Mrs. Anna Smith, wife of U. C. Smith, a prominent business man of Huntsville, died at her home last week after an illness of but three days duration.

Emil Speth, a policeman of Dayton, Iowa, died from wounds he received while attempting to arrest J. Allen Cox, of Hannibal, in connection with land irregularities.

Mrs. M. A. Hornback left for St. Louis Saturday to visit Joe Hornback and family. On the way home Mrs. Hornback expects to be the guest of Rev. James Hornback and wife and Miss Mary Lucy at Mexico.

William Fitzhugh Buckner, 89 years of age, president of the Paris national bank, is the oldest bank president in the state, and probably the oldest in the United States. He helped to organize the bank 46 years ago.

Forty-five cars loaded with potatoes passed through Mexico Sunday consigned to Chicago from Oregon and Washington. The owners of the precious heritage in each car had a stove up and were firing day and night in a fight against a chance of the tubers freezing while in transit.—Mexico Message.

Will A. Doyle, a Huntville boy, who had served in the army at Honolulu, died at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, January 18th, of tuberculosis. He had been pronounced incurable by army surgeons and was coming home to die.

The Lancaster Excelsior suggests three Missouri barbers whose names should be entered in the Hall of Fame. One at Peculiar is named Payne, another at East Lynne answers to the handle of Hurt and the third at Springfield is a Butcher.

Mrs. Dick Asbury left Friday for St. Louis where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Umstätt until Saturday. Then she will leave for Memphis where she will join her husband.

The old mill building at Mexico occupied by the Mexico Poultry Company was burned Thursday. The contents of the building including \$150 worth of poultry were destroyed and all the books of the Company were burned. It was insured for \$2000

In order to provide relief from the unprecedented demand for paper money a new issue of one and two dollar green backs of Civil War days will be put into circulation about February 1, displacing similar United States notes of larger denominations

Franz Bogas, former Consul General of Germany, was sentenced by Judge William P. Hunt in San Francisco last week to two years in prison and a fine of \$10,000 for conspiracy to violate the neutrality of the United States and restrain interstate war munition shipments

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Grace Baptist Church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. John Umstätt. Mrs. Fielder will lead the Devotional Topic and Mrs. John Umstätt will lead the study, "Building for the Kingdom"

Gov. Geo. W. P. Hunt, native of Huntsville, who has won fame as the first governor of Arizona, serving two terms since its admission, is creating wide interest and comment by the attitude he has taken in refusing to relinquish his office after the declared election of Bro. E. Campbell, republican, candidate by the close margin of thirty-six votes.—Huntsville Herald

A Kahoka lady decided to search her husband, who was quite a drinker, so that he would reform. To do this she procured the costume of a devil which she had worn at a masquerade. The next time the erring spouse came home feeling happy she quickly donned the costume. As he opened the door she stepped forward and said: "Come with me I am the devil." The result rather startled her, the response being as follows: "Zit an' Shake, old boy, I'm your brother-in-law—I married your sister." Ex.

In a few years when a child is born out of wedlock the name will not all be borne by the woman. Dr. Lucy Waite's proposal to make the birth of an illegitimate child automatically the marriage bond and give the child a name, is receiving marked attention in many states. The proposed law will step in and declare that the woman who has been betrayed is to be considered a legal wife as soon as she becomes a mother. This will make the chief culprit, the man, responsible. If he is already married, that is his trouble. He will stand accused of bigamy and become liable to the heavy bigamists. In either case, the girl who has suffered for him will have a claim on his name and property. In this, justice will take a long step forward.—Ex.

Mrs. R. R. Spencer of Hunnewell was shopping here Monday.

Misses Mabel Leininger and May Johnson are visiting in Hannibal

James W. Johnson and wife of Fulton are the guest of friends here

Miss Margaret McCarty was a Clarence visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. J. M. Brooks of Keokuk has returned home after a visit with J. K. Ely and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Clark of Memphis have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark and family.

Misses Margaret O'hern, Tersa and Anna Statia Murphy of Hannibal spent the week end as the guest of Miss Nettie Mudd.

C. E. Ervin of Brookfield returned home Monday after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. Erwin. Mrs. Ervin has been very ill but is reported much better.

FORD FACTORY NEWS.

A Letter to Woodson & Graham as Agents.

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Aero Clubs Invite M. U. Party

President A. Ross Hill of the University of Missouri at Columbia has received an invitation to attend the first Pan-American Aeronautic Exposition, which will take place in New York, February 8 to 15. He was asked to appoint a delegation of ten persons from the faculty, alumni and seniors to represent the University.

This exposition is given under the direction of three large aero clubs and they have arranged for lectures on aeronautics by prominent men, among whom are Thomas A. Edison, Orville Wright, Benjamin R. Tillman, Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, Major-General Leonard Wood, Howard E. Coffin and Rear-Admiral Robert E. Perry.

His Clutch Slipped

Harold, aged four, was trudging the distance of many blocks with his father to Sunday School, and the long tramp was almost too much for him. The father, glancing back, noticed the small boy's fatigue and, slackening his pace, asked:

"Am I walking too fast, son?"

"No," returned the small boy, puffing and panting breathlessly, "it's me, papa."—Christian Herald.

Mrs. Nicholson returned from Em-den where she has been on a professional call

Columbia to Have Grand Opera

Grand opera by the San Carlo Grand Opera Company, which has been giving performances in many of the largest cities of the United States, is the latest achievement of Columbia. The company is being brought to the city by the Dramatic Club of the University of Missouri and the Play Reading Club, a club of faculty members and their wives. Columbia is probably the smallest city the opera company has visited. They will give Faust, I Pagliacci, and Cavalleria Rusticana.

Missouri Opens—Basketball Season

The basketball season of the University of Missouri has been opened with a four game start, two victories over Washington University and a game won and another lost to the Ames Aggies. Missouri is this year bidding for the valley championship with a strong team. The team will meet the University of Nebraska five soon in the first renewal of athletic relationship between the two schools in several years. The men who are playing this year are: Fred Williams, captain and center, Kansas City; Sam Shirley, forward, Norborne; Jesse L. Campbell, forward, Olathe; Clyde H. Slusher, guard, Kansas City; Nyle Wilkts, forward, Kansas City; Paul Vogt, forward, Columbia; J. H. Rohloff, guard, St. Joseph.

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